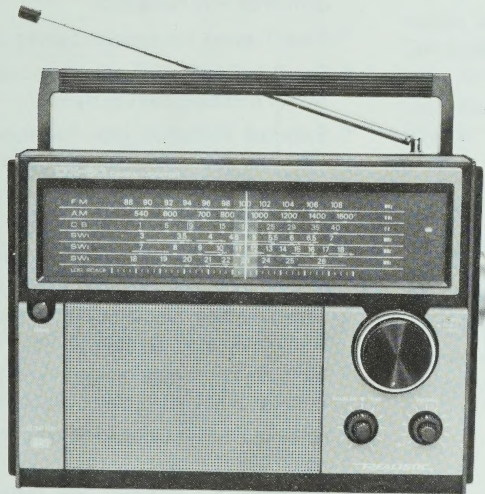


6-BAND PORTABLE RADIO




DX-60 CB/SW MONITOR

OWNER'S MANUAL

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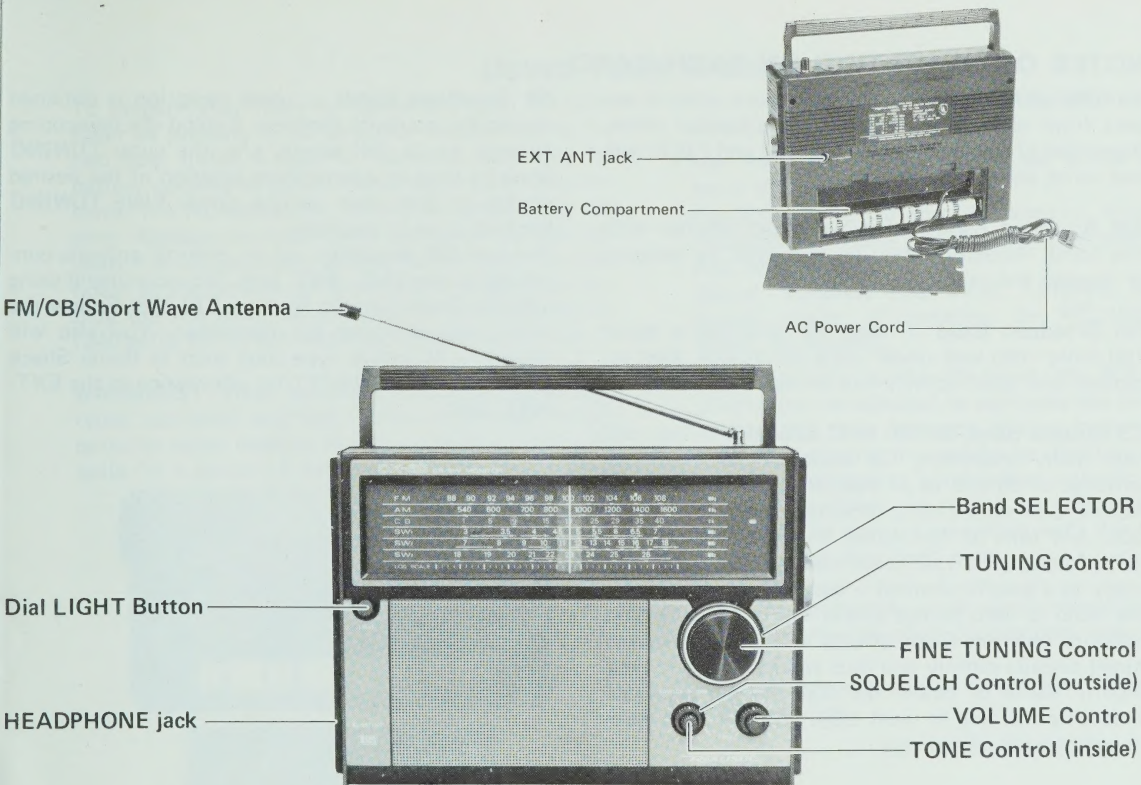
Your **REALISTIC®** DX-60 CB/SW MONITOR is a high-quality, sensitive 6-band superheterodyne radio that includes the CB Band (26.965–27.405) plus three Short Wave Bands: SW1 (3–7 MHz), SW2 (7–18 MHz) and SW3 (18–26 MHz). These are in addition to the standard AM (520–1620 kHz) and FM (88–108 MHz) broadcast bands.

The DX-60 CB/SW MONITOR will operate either from batteries (4 type "C" batteries) or standard AC power (120 volts, 60 Hz, or 240 V, 50 Hz for Australian models). If the AC power should fail, an automatic circuit switches over to the battery power with no interruption of sound.

The circuitry is all solid-state, built on rugged printed circuit boards. This insures maximum reliability. The combination of hi-fi circuit design and top-quality 4" (10 cm) permanent magnet dynamic speaker provides superior sound reproduction. A full complement of controls, plus a Telescoping antenna and provision for external antennas assures you of greatest enjoyment of your new Radio.

FEATURES

- * All silicon solid-state design, including IF and Audio Power IC assures maximum output and lowest distortion with minimum power consumption.
- * Rotary switch and band indicator for convenient band selection.
- * Built-in Automatic Frequency Control (AFC) for drift-free FM reception.
- * Fine Tuning for precise tuning on all bands.
- * Squelch Control to eliminate background noise between messages on CB Band.
- * External Antenna jack for superior reception on CB, FM and Short Wave Bands.
- * Automatic power switch-over from AC to batteries in case of AC power failure.
- * Headphone jack for communications type headphones (¼" or 6.35 mm plug).
- * 2 Integrated Circuits, 9 Transistors, 15 Diodes (including 2 in the power rectifier circuit).
- * 30" (75 cm) telescoping swivel-mount antenna for FM, CB and Short Wave reception.
- * Built-in Ferrite Loopstick antenna for AM and SW1 reception.
- * Efficient 4" (10 cm) PM Dynamic speaker for superior sound reproduction.



Band SELECTOR turn to make yellow indicator appear next to the desired band of operation as noted at the right side of the slide-rule dial.

TONE Control adjust for desired sound quality.

SQUELCH Control functions on CB band. It silences the radio between station transmissions. Use as follows: Tune to the desired frequency; then, between transmissions, adjust in a clockwise direction until the noise ceases do not rotate past this point. Now, when a transmission is made, you will hear it, but will not be annoyed by the background noises between messages.

NOTE: Too "high" a setting will block reception of weaker signals.

VOLUME Control turns power "on" and controls the level of sound from speaker or phones.

TUNING adjust to the desired frequency as shown on the slide rule dial. The inner knob is **FINE TUNING** and is handy for tuning in difficult-to-get or weak stations, providing more precise, slower rate of tuning. **FINE TUNING** functions on all bands.

FM/CB/Short Wave Antenna extend to its full length for FM, CB and Short Wave reception. Swivel as required for best reception.

Dial LIGHT Button when operating on batteries, press this button to illuminate the Dial. Use sparingly to conserve batteries.

EXT ANT jack for superior reception on FM/CB and the three Short Wave bands, connect an external antenna to this jack. Use a suitable antenna for each band. Your Radio Shack store has a complete selection of antennas. Connection of an external antenna will have no effect on AM reception.

HEADPHONE jack for private listening, plus headphones into this jack; it automatically disconnects the built-in speaker. Use communications type headphones with ¼" (6.35 mm) plug (Radio Shack Catalog Number 279-200 or 279-198).

SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

Only the highest quality parts are used in your Radio, therefore it will require little or no service. However, there are a few things you can do to insure maximum life and performance.

Never leave the radio in high temperature areas such as inside your car sitting in the hot sun. Excessive temperatures can damage internal parts. Never clean the case with a strong thinner (nail polish remover, benzine, etc.); a slightly damp cloth normally will be adequate.

Never leave dead or weak batteries in the radio. If you do not intend to use the radio for a few weeks, remove the batteries. Old, weak batteries can leak chemicals (even so-called "leak-proof" types). These chemicals can cause severe damage.

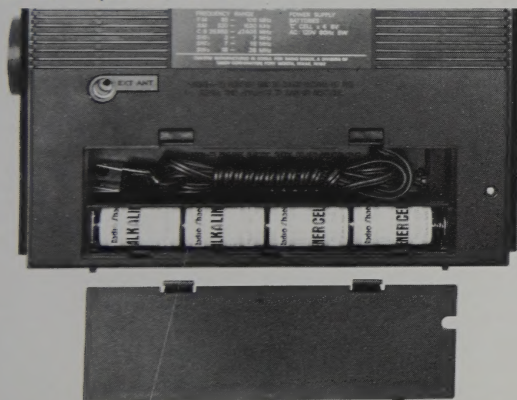
When batteries are weak, replace them with Radio Shack Catalog Number 23-581 or 23-551 "C" batteries (four required).

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USING YOUR RADIO

To prepare your radio for operation, open the back cover by pressing in the direction shown next to the two tabs. Install 4 type "C" batteries, observing the battery polarity as shown inside the battery compartment. For AC operation, remove the end of the line cord. Replace the back cover and press the tabs upward. For AC operation, extend the line cord through notch in the battery compartment, replace cover and plug the line cord into a source of 120 volts, 60 Hz (240 volts, 50 Hz for Australian models) AC power.

WARNING! Weak batteries, including "leakproof" types, can swell and leak. To avoid damage, remove batteries when weak or if you are going to store the radio for a period of time.



1. Turn power "on" by rotating **VOLUME** in a clockwise direction.
2. Use the **Band SELECTOR** to set to the desired band of operation.
For Short Wave, CB and FM reception, extend the FM/CB/Short Wave antenna; swivel as desired for best reception.
Adjust **TUNING** and **FINE TUNING** for the desired station of operation. Set **VOLUME** and **TONE** as required.
3. When listening to the CB band, the **SQUELCH** control can be adjusted to eliminate the annoying background noise between station transmissions. Adjust the control in a clockwise direction to just cut out background noise when a station is not transmitting. When the station transmits again, the signal will be heard. Experiment with this control a little to get the "feel" of it.

NOTE: For extremely weak signal reception, leave **SQUELCH** in the maximum counterclockwise position.

For private listening, plug in headphones (requires ¼" or 6.35 mm plug).

NOTES ON OPERATING ON EACH BAND

To help you understand and appreciate what to expect from each band, here are some helpful notes. Reception of signals on other than AM and FM Broadcast varies with many things.

AM Broadcast Band you are most familiar with this band. Reception may be improved by rotating or moving the radio.

FM Broadcast Band range of reception is about 100 miles (160 km) under good conditions. Best reception and most activity will be near large cities.

CB Citizens Band, 26.965 to 27.405 MHz you will hear many interesting CB stations. The frequency coverage of 26.965 to 27.405 MHz will allow you to receive local signals being broadcast over the 40 channels. Just tune to the desired channel. At these high radio frequencies, your radio may not stay tuned precisely to a specific channel — especially if you subject the radio to hard bumps and/or it is exposed to temperature changes. Such effects will change internal tuned circuits slightly and thus you may have to tune slightly above or below the dial channel markings. This is normal and in most cases you will soon learn to compensate accordingly.

SW Broadcast Bands best reception is obtained during the hours of darkness. Extend the telescoping antenna to its full length. Use the outer **TUNING** knob to tune to approximate position of the desired station on dial; then use the center **FINE TUNING** knob to tune in precisely.

For best SW reception, use an external antenna connected to the **EXT. ANT.** jack. We recommend using a Radio Shack Catalog Number 278-758. Follow the instructions provided for installation. You also will require a Motorola type plug such as Radio Shack Catalog Number 274-711 for connecting to the **EXT. ANT.** jack.

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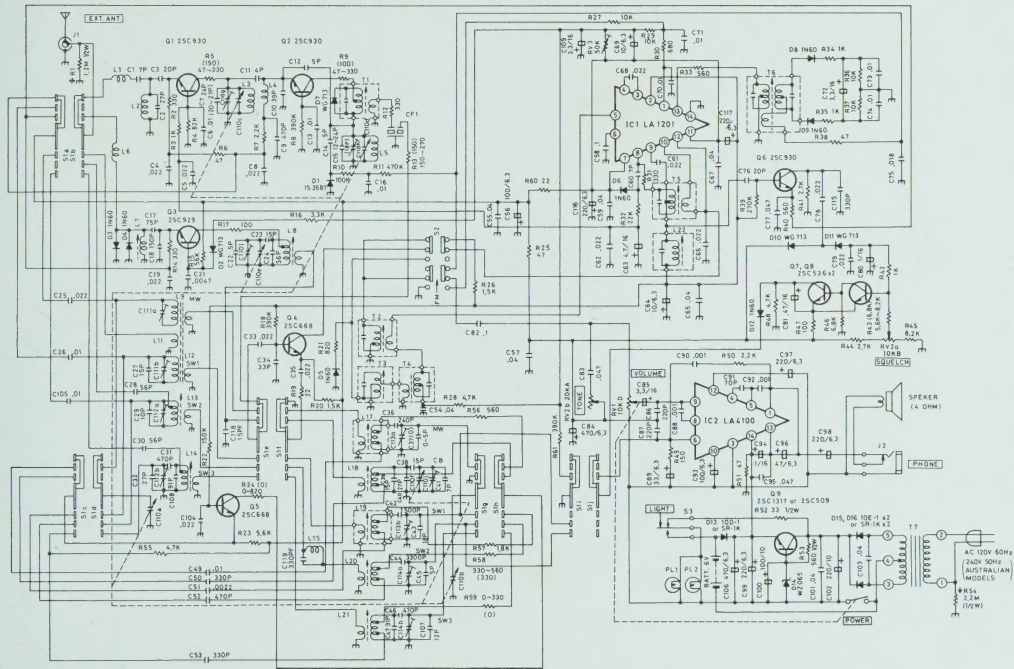
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Frequency Coverage:	AM	520—1620 kHz
	SW1	3—7 MHz
	SW2	7—18 MHz
	SW3	18—26 MHz
	FM	88—108 MHz
	CB	26.965—27.405 MHz
IF Frequency:	FM	10.7 MHz
	All Other Bands	455 kHz
Power Output:		400 milliwatts (10% THD)
Batteries:		4 "C" Cells
AC Power		120 volts, 60 Hz (240 volts, 50 Hz for Australian models)
Antennas:		AM/SW1 ferrite rod built-in, plus Telescopic antenna for FM/CB/SW1—3
Dimensions:		10½" (26.5 cm) High, 12" (30 cm) Wide, 4" (10 cm) Deep

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



NOTES 1) ALL RESISTOR VALUES ARE INDICATED IN "OHM". (K= 10^3 OHM, M= 10^6 OHM)

2) ALL CAPACITOR VALUES ARE INDICATED IN " μF ". ($P=10^{-6} \mu F$)


* : FOR AUSTRALIAN MODELS, R1 AND R54 ARE NOT USED.

RADIO SHACK LIMITED WARRANTY

This equipment is warranted against defects for 90 days from date of purchase. Within this period, we will repair it without charge for parts and labor. Simply **bring your sales slip** as proof of purchase date to any Radio Shack store. Warranty does not cover transportation costs. Nor does it cover equipment subjected to misuse or accidental damage.

This Warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

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SHORT WAVE GUIDE

The following tables show major locations from which short wave broadcasts originate. You will not get them all as there are frequent changes in broadcasts times and frequencies. On the other hand you may get some that are not listed here...keep a log of these...this is all part of the fun!

COUNTRY	CITY	STATION NAME	CALL LETTERS	FREQ. (MHz)	METER BAND
ALBANIA	Tirana	R. Tirana		9.677	31
ARGENTINA	Buenos Aires	R. Nacional	LRA32	9.690	31
	Buenos Aires	R. Nacional		15.295	19
AUSTRALIA	Melbourne	Austr. BC		7.220	41
	Melbourne	R. Australia	VLR9	9.680	31
	Melbourne	R. Australia		11.790	25
	Melbourne	R. Australia		15.240	19
	Perth	Austr. BC	VLW6	6.140	49
AUSTRIA	Vienna	R. Austria		15.240	19
	Vienna	R. Austria		17.765	16
BELGIUM	Brussels	Belg. R. & TV	ORU	9.720	31
	Brussels	Belg. R. & TV	ORU	11.720	25
BRAZIL	Recife	R. Journal do Comercio	ZYK33	15.145	19
	Rio de Janeiro	R. Nacional	PRL7	9.720	31
	Rio de Janeiro	R. Rio de Janeiro	ZPY23	5.045	60
BULGARIA	Sofia	R. Sofia		9.560	31
BURMA	Rangoon	Burma BC		6.035	49
CAMBODIA	Phnom Penh	R. Nationale Khmere		17.705	16
CAMEROON	Yaounde	R. Yaounde		6.050	49
CANADA	Montreal. P. Q.	R. Canada	CKLO	9.630	31
	Montreal. P. Q.	R. Canada	CHOL	11.720	25
	St. Johns. Nfld.	Canadian BC	CBNX	6.160	49
	Toronto. Ont.		CFRX	6.070	49
	Vancouver. BC.	Canadian BC	CBUX	6.160	49
CEYLON	Colombo	R. Ceylon		9.670	31
CHILE	Santiago	R. Corp de Sant.	CE1515	15.150	19
CHINA	Peking	R. Peking		11.800	25
	Peking	R. Peking		15.095	19
	Taipei	BC of China	BED57	15.345	19
	Taipei	BC of China	BED77	17.890	16
COLOMBIA	Cali	R. el Sol	HJNE	6.115	49
CONGO	Brazzaville	R. Congo		15.190	19
(FRENCH AFRICAN)	San Jose	Faro del Caribe	TIFC	9.645	31
COSTA RICA	Havana	R. Havana		9.670	31
	Havana	R. Havana		15.135	19
CYPRUS	Limassol	BBC		15.375	19
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	Prague	R. Prague	OLR3A	9.550	31
DENMARK	Copenhagen	V. of Denmark	OZF5	9.520	31
	Copenhagen	V. of Denmark	OZF7	15.165	19

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DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	Santo Domingo	Santo Domingo TV	HI4U	9.505	31
ECUADOR	Quito	R Nacional	HCYZI	4.940	60
	Quito	V. de los Andes	HCJB	9.745	31
	Quito	V. de los Andes	HCJB	15.115	19
EGYPT (U.A.R.)	Cairo	U. A. R. BC		9.780	31
	Cairo	U. A. R. BC		11.915	25
EL SALVADOR	San Salvador	R Nacional	YSS	9.555	31
ETHIOPIA	Addis Ababa	R. V. of Gospel	ETLF	15.410	19
FINLAND	Helsinki	Finnish BC	OIX4	15.190	19
FRANCE	Paris	Paris Vous Parle		7.160	41
	Paris	Paris Vous Parle		9.560	31
	Paris	Paris Vous Parle		11.920	25
	Paris	Paris Vous Parle		15.160	19
GERMANY (EAST)	Berlin	R. Berlin Int'l		11.920	25
GERMANY (WEST)	Cologne	Deutsche Welle	DMQ9	9.545	31
	Cologne	Deutsche Welle	DMQ15	15.275	19
GHANA	Accra	Ghana BC		11.800	25
	Accra	Ghana BC		17.910	18
GREAT BRITAIN	London	BBC	GRJ	7.325	42
	London	BBC	GRH	9.825	31
	London	BBC	GSO	15.180	19
	London	BBC		17.990	16
GREECE	Thesaloniki	R. Thesaloniki		9.710	31
GUATEMALA	Guatem. Cty	E. Cultural	TGNB	9.670	31
	Quezaltenango	R. Nac. Quezalt	TGQB	11.700	25
GUINEA REPUBLIC	Conakry	V. of Revolution		9.650	31
HAITI	Cap Haitien	R. Citadelle	4VWA	6.156	49
HUNGARY	Budapest	R. Budapest		11.910	25
INDIA	Delhi	All India R.	VUD	15.225	19
	Delhi	All India R.	VUD	15.310	19
INDONESIA	Djakarta	V. of Indonesia		9.770	31
	Djakarta	V. of Indonesia	YDF2	11.715	16
IRAN	Tehran	R. Iran		7.100	41
IRELAND	Baile Atha Cliath	R. Oglaigh Na H-Eireann		17.544	16
ISRAEL	Jerusalem	V. of Israel		7.412	41
	Jerusalem	V. of Israel		11.655	25
ITALY	Rome	RAI		9.575	31
	Rome	RAI		17.800	25
IVORY COAST	Abidjan	R. Abidjan		11.820	25
JAPAN	Tokyo	R. Japan NHK	JOA17	17.875	16
	Tokyo	BC of Japan		9.740	31
JORDAN	Amman	R. Amman		9.560	31
KOREA	Seoul	KBS		9.64	31
LEBANON	Beirut	Lebanese BC		9.620	31
	Beirut	Lebanese BC		11.890	25
LIBERIA	Monrovia	R. Village	ELWA	11.975	25
	Monrovia	R. Village	ELWA	15.155	19
LUXEMBOURG	Villa Louvigny	R. Luxembourg		6.090	49

AMATEUR BANDS

TIME AND FREQUENCY STANDARDS

WWV (Greenbelt, Md.) : 5,
10, and 15 MHz
WWVH (Maui, Hawaii) : 5, 10,
and 15 MHz

METER BAND (Wavelength) FREQUENCY (MHz)

40M	7.0 to 7.3
20M	14.0 to 14.35
15M	21.0 to 21.45

COUNTRY	CITY	STATION NAME	CALL LETTERS	FREQ. (MHz)	METER BAND
MAURITIUS	Forest Side	Mauritius BC		9.710	31
MEXICO	Mexico City	R. Comerciales	XEHH	11.880	25
	Mexico City	V. Amer. Latina	XEWW	9.515	31
MONACO	Monte Carlo	Trans. World R.		9.633	31
MOROCCO	Rabat	Moroccan BC		11.735	25
MOZAMBIQUE	Lourenco Marques	R. Club	CR7AA	7.250	41
	Lourenco Marques	R. Club		11.760	25
NETHERLANDS	Hilversum	R. Netherlands		5.985	49
	Hilversum	R. Netherlands		15.425	19
	Hilversum	R. Netherlands		17.810	16
NEW ZEALAND	Wellington	N. Z. Calling	ZL2	9.540	31
	Wellington	N. Z. Calling	ZL4	15.280	19
NIGERIA (FEDERATION)	Ibadan	Nigerian BC		6.185	49
NORWAY	Oslo	R. Norway	LLK	11.850	25
	Oslo	R. Norway	LLM	15.175	19
PAKISTAN	Karachi	R. Pakistan		15.190	19
PERU	Iquitos	R. Amazonas	OAX80	9.770	31
	Lima	R. Nacional	OAX4T	15.150	19
	Puno		OAX7F	9.570	31
PHILIPPINES	Manila	Far East BC		11.850	25
POLAND	Warsaw	R. Warsaw		7.925	38
	Warsaw	R. Warsaw		9.925	31
	Warsaw	R. Warsaw		11.840	25
PORTUGAL	Lisbon	Lisbon Calling		6.025	49
	Lisbon	Lisbon Calling		15.380	19
RHODESIA & NYASALAND	Lusaka	Federal BC		7.285	41
SARAWAK	Kuching	R. Sarawak		7.270	41
SENEGAL REPUBLIC	Dakar	R. Senegal		9.720	31
S AFRICA (REPUBLIC)	Paradys	Springbrook R		11.900	25
SPAIN	Madrid	R. Nacional		9.615	31
SURINAM	Paramaribo	R. Surinam	PZC	15.445	19
SWEDEN	Stockholm	R. Sweden		11.805	25
SWAN ISLAND	Swan	R. Americas		6.000	49
SWITZERLAND	Berne	Swiss BC	HER4	9.535	31
	Berne	Swiss BC	HER5	11.865	25
SYRIA	Damascus	R. Damascus		15.165	19
TAHITI	Papeete	R. TV Francaise		6.135	49
	Papeete	R. TV Francaise		11.825	25
THAILAND	Bangkok	R. Bangkok		11.910	25
TURKEY	Ankara	R. Ankara	TAU	15.160	19
U. S. S. R.	Alma Ata	R. Alma Ata		10.530	28
	Kiev	R. Kiev		11.790	25
	Moscow	R. Moscow		9.860	30
	Moscow	R. Moscow		11.730	25

MARINE BANDS

FREQUENCY (MHz)

4.0 to 4.438
6.2 to 7.0
8.195 to 9.5

INTERNATIONAL BROADCAST BANDS

METER BAND (Wavelength) FREQUENCY (kHz)

60M 4750 to 5060
49M 5950 to 6200
41M 7100 to 7300
31M 9500 to 9775
25M 11700 to 11975
19M 15100 to 15450
16M 17700 to 17900

